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		First Named Inventor	Shigeyuki UZAWA et al.
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		Art Unit	2125
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1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES	
	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Small Entity
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50 25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200 100
Multiple dependent claims	360 180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims
14 - 47 (HP) = 0	x 50.00	= 0.00		Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	
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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

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4. OTHER FEE(S)

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Shigeyuki UZAWA et al.) : Examiner: R. A. Jarrett
Application No.: 09/864,309) : Group Art Unit: 2125
Filed: May 25, 2001) : Confirmation No.: 2803
For: EXPOSURE APPARATUS, COATING/DEVELOPING)
SYSTEM, DEVICE MANUFACTURING SYSTEM,) : December 30, 2005
DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD,)
SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING FACTORY,)
AND EXPOSURE APPARATUS MAINTENANCE)
METHOD) :

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to further examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows: